

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

James Chi-Shun Tsiao

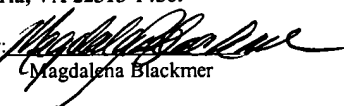
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, applicant submits the following Amendment and Response and thanks the Examiner for conducting a thorough search. It is respectfully requested that the noted amendments be entered and the following remarks considered.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.